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Military Y. M. C. A. Campaign

Following the announcements made through these columns during the past few weeks, Capt. H. A. Pearson arrived in Blairmore on Sunday, and that evening addressed a number of citizens of Frank at the military hospital.

On Monday a business men's luncheon was served at the Cosmopolitan hotel, when upwards of sixty men attended to hear from the lips of Capt. Pearson some of his experiences at the front in connection with the military Y.M.C.A., and the inside history of the war in general. In the absence of the chairman, Mr. W. Shaw, Mr. J. E. Gillis, secretary-treasurer, occupied the chair, and in a suitable manner introduced the guest of the evening.

Capt. Pearson entertained the gathering for over an hour and a half with a splendid word picture of the war, and what was being done in France by Great Britain and her allies, giving in clear terms a more graphic description of the real situation than we had ever before heard. He gave particulars of Britain's wonderful organizations, both on land and on seas, and in the air, how she had by dint of hard and serious labor secured the advantage of Germany in every department.

Capt. Pearson was one of the six Y.M.C.A. men to leave with the first overseas contingent in November, 1914, and he saw what awful disadvantage the allies labored under, without guns or ammunition, while the Germans were possessed of unlimited quantities and fired over big shells to the extent of at least twenty to our one. It was a case of flesh and blood and the bayonet against artillery, and, needless to say, the artillery had the best of the argument. Now the situation was changed, the allies having the men, gun, airships and ammunition to push the Germans back.

In speaking of our arm, Capt. Pearson stated that the German arm were unable to fly over British grounds, and that the allies were at all times able to fly over enemy territory and secure photographs of German plans and movements. This accounts for there being no successful gas attacks by the Germans since the end of 1915, for as soon as they place their gas tanks in position, the British turn their gun fire on the tanks and destroy them. At a certain point in England, which was out of bounds, there may be seen untold numbers of German U-boats, captured by the navy. He could not give figures, but they were large, and he assured his hearers that there was not very much occasion to worry about the submarine issue, it being now well under control.

In the early days of the war, the allied soldiers had to stand the terrific, and nerve-racking bombardments from Germany's preponderance in large guns, and many became unbalanced and insane. With the British now sending over their shells every hour and every day, what must be the predicament of the German soldiers. Britain had sufficient shells at their disposal to keep up the good work, and from now on the artillery was doing the work the infantry were formerly obliged to do. France today was so well supplied with munitions at the front that she yet had to use an American-made shell.

In closing his address, Capt. Pearson said that the soldier who returned home clean and unspotted was more to be admired and applauded than the man who has won his V.C. in the heat of battle.

Following Capt. Pearson, Mr. Estabrook addressed the gathering in behalf of the real object of the campaign, outlining the great work being done at the front by the British, Australian, New Zealand and Canadian organizations of the Military Y.M.C.A. He stated that our Canadian organization was costing in the neighborhood of \$1,700 a day, and that up to the present no appeal had ever been made directly to the Canadian people. To carry on the great work many thousands of dollars were needed, and it had now become necessary to appeal to the pockets of Canadian citizens to support the work being done with our soldier lads in active service in France.

Mr. Gillis spoke briefly of the local issues of the Y.M.C.A., and appealed strongly to the sympathy and liberality of our citizens to this most deserving cause. He felt that we should aim at raising a certain amount, and that as this was not only the first demand that has been upon us, it in all probability would be the last, and therefore no one should consider it too much to contribute liberally on this occasion. He referred to the splendid contributions that had already been made from the towns of the Crows' Nest Pass to the Red Cross and Patriotic funds, and felt that the same voluntary spirit would prompt our citizens so that we might easily reach an objective of \$1,000 for the district of Blairmore, Frank, Bellevue and Hillcrest. As a result of his appeal the sum of \$2.6 was received from twenty-five of those present.

At night a public meeting was held at Central Union church, where Capt. Pearson held a crowded house spell-bound for upwards of an hour and a half with thrilling tales in connection with the great war. Space will not permit us going into this address in detail, but we feel that those who had the opportunity of hearing Capt. Pearson on Monday last carried away with them a broader conception of the war as it really is than they had ever before realized.

The chair at the evening meeting was occupied by Mr. J. P. Hunter. At the close of the address, two patriotic songs were rendered by Mr. J. Fairhurst, of Frank.

Throughout The Pass local committees have been formed, to look after the completion of the campaign. Up to the present some seven or eight hundred dollars are in sight, and it is expected that fully one thousand dollars will be realized from the Blairmore end of the district. The secretary-treasurer resides in Blairmore, and while contributions from Frank, Bellevue and Hillcrest will pass through the hands of the local secretary, the towns above mentioned will receive credit for their support. The committee at Hillcrest comprises Dr. Alan Ross, George Cruickshank and Frank Smith; at Bellevue, Bob Levitt, John Roberts and Albert Hallworth; at Frank, Rev. W. T. Young, C. J. Tompkins and J. C. Boudreau; while the local committee comprises J. E. Gillis, J. B. Harmer, A. Hamilton, F. M. Thompson and J. R. Smith, all of whom will be pleased to accept contributions from anyone desirous of helping this most worthy enterprise.

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Abe Sparks was down from the rawch last week end.

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that I, Neston Boutry, of Burmis, will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date by my boy, Neston Boutry, junior, better known as "Jean" Boutry, who is under age and has left his home.

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Burmis, April 12th, 1917.

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The Canadian fiscal year which closes on the 31st of this month will show the country to be in a prosperous condition and the revenues buoyant. Statistics available indicate that when this month is ended the total revenue of the Dominion from all sources will reach two hundred and thirty million dollars. This is about fifty million dollars in excess of the revenue of the previous year, which, in itself, was the highest in the history of Canada. The revenue for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1917, will be one hundred million greater than the year ending March 31st, 1916, the first year of the war.

It is likely that when all accounts are made up that, after paying all ordinary and capital expenditures, the increased interest charges upon war expenditures, and all pensions, the Government will be able to devote fifty million dollars towards the payment of principal on war cost. This is quite beyond the most sanguine expectations expressed by the

Minister of Finance, Sir Thomas White, when he delivered his last budget.

An equally optimistic outlook exists with respect to Canada's trade situation. For the twelve months of the fiscal year just ending the trade of Canada has set a new high water mark. For the eleven months of the year ending February 28th, Canadian commerce reached the enormous figure of \$1,771,936,000, as against \$1,098,945,000 for the same period last year. Exports reached a total of \$1,028,960,000 and the imports \$721,996,000, a favourable trade balance of more than three hundred million dollars.

Mr. Kelly: An' how are ye this mornin', Mistress Flynn? Is yer rheumatism any better?
Mrs. Flynn: Well, yis, I think it is, I thank ye kindly. The new doctor's treatment he doin' me a worl' o' good, I believe. He advises me to take green an' eat nally, and to rub anarchy on my joints. I'm doin' it, an' I think it's helpin' me wonderfully.

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The Alberta legislature has just passed what is to be known as the Patriotic Tax Act, empowering every municipality in the province to levy during the continuance of the war a tax to be called the patriotic tax. All taxes levied under the act shall form a patriotic fund under the control of the municipality, and shall be paid to the Canadian Patriotic Fund in Alberta. Grants already made for patriotic purposes from municipal funds are validated, and every municipality is given power to rebate in whole or in part any tax against the property of any person who has enlisted for overseas service.

An Industrial Census

The Government has decided to take an industrial census of Canada this fall. (A postal census of manufacturers for the year 1915 was taken last year, forms being mailed to over 50,000 names. This census showed that the total product of manufacturers in 1915 was \$1,392,515,055, compared with \$718,553,605 in 1905. The industrial census that will be taken will, of course, be much more thorough and elaborate. At present an industrial census is taken at the same time as the census of population, etc., is tabulated. This has proved in the past unsatisfactory and incomplete. The chief reason is that the census enumerators have too much work and too many forms to fill out and are not men specially trained for taking an industrial census. It has therefore been decided to divide the census work. The regular census of population, origins of the people, etc., along with the agricultural census, will take place as in the past, every ten years, the next census being due in 1921. The industrial census will be taken by special enumerators mid way of the ordinary census, but also every ten years. This will have the advantage of not throwing all the work of a decade on the branch at one time. In addition to the decennial industrial census there will likely also be an annual postal census so as to keep the figures reasonably up-to-date.

Recruits Wanted For Divisional Signal Co'y

The Canadian Engineers, because of their excellent work in France have established for themselves a very enviable status and the Sappers and N.C.O.'s in the Canadian Engineers have been given all kinds of opportunities to get commissions in the Infantry and in the Royal Canadian Engineers, as well as in the Canadian Engineers. Many availed themselves of these opportunities, but many did not, preferring to remain in the ranks of the Canadian Engineers. One returned Sergeant in the ranks of the Canadian Engineers, who is at present home on sick leave, says that he would prefer being an N.C.O. in the Engineers to being a Captain in the Infantry.

This shows how interesting the work of the Sapper is, and is the proof of the fact that the best men, if qualified for the Engineers, will find in that branch of the service every opportunity of using their ability and every opportunity of advancement.

Tradesmen of all kinds are qualified, particularly if they have had charge of work in their trade; horsemen are also desired for mounted sections; men particularly desired are construction foremen, superintendents, etc., civil engineers, etc.

Skilled men are also required for the Divisional Signal Company. Training for this branch of the Engineers' service is carried out at Lansdowne Park, Ottawa.

The following trades are required and men enlisted will be sent without delay to the Signal Training Depot: Telegraph Operators, Telephone Linemen, Wireline Operators, Signallers, Wireless Operators, Stenographers, Electricians (Wire-

less), Cyclists, Linemen (Permanent Airline), Linemen (Cable), Dispatch Riders, Drivers, Motor Cyclists, Saddlers, Motor Cyclists, Artificers, Herders, Makers, Fitters (Wireless), Wheelwrights, Instrument Repairers, Blacksmiths, Students, Shoeing and Carriage Smiths.

This branch of the service is a mounted one and the equipment of a Signal Company includes 104 horses, 160 motorcycles, 50 bicycles, 8 cable wagons, telephone and telegraph apparatus, etc.

It is interesting to note that nearly 60 per cent of the men serving their country with this unit are university men.

Men who are interested in the Engineers or the Divisional Signal Company should write to either of the following recruiting officers: Lieut. W. R. Smith, 102 G.P.R. Bldg., Edmonton; Mr. F. W. Downer, Victoria Headlines, Leithbridge; Capt. W. Parker, Recruiting Officer, Medicine Hat; or Capt. P. H. Peters, Officer Commanding, Drafts, Divisional Engineers, 215 8th Ave. E.

Private Peat Replies

Edmonton, Alberta.

8th April, 1917.

The Editor, Blairmore Enterprise, Sir:—In reply to a letter written by the Rev. E. H. Gray, which appeared in The Enterprise, Friday, March 23rd, I wish to record my thanks for the appreciative remarks in the commencement of the letter, but I must take exception to some of the statements contained therein.

Since my return from the front, I have addressed over 200 separate audiences comprising over 45,000 people. The reverend gentleman is the first man to criticize publicly the run ration station which I make. I will not answer his letter in detail, because, obviously, it is written in ignorance of the condition of trench warfare, even after having listened to my speech.

Mr. Gray said that he felt like getting up in the meeting. I am more than sorry that he did not. If at any time he would like to meet me in public on this particular question, I shall be more than pleased to do so.

I distinctly said that the run ration was not compulsory, and was only given to the soldiers by the battalion doctors as a medicine. In the reverend gentleman's letter he says, "Private Peat assures us that the run ration makes the chilled soldier warm and feel happy." I never used the word "happy." By using this word "happy," Mr. Gray infers that the soldier is drunk. After drinking the run ration (an amount measurable by two teaspoonfuls), it is impossible for the soldier to be intoxicated. As I said in my speech, the British soldier on active service who drinks is drunk is liable to court-martial and death.

The reverend gentleman writes that few are in a position to dispute my statements of things that I have actually seen and heard. How, then, does he take exception to my run ration talk? Does Mr. Gray mean to infer that I am making untruthful statements?

I am one of the greatest advocates of prohibition myself, but prohibition has nothing to do with the run ration.

To back up my statement, as far as the issue of "Medicine" is concerned to the soldiers in the trenches, out of 600 returned soldiers to Edmonton, I can get 99 per cent of them who will talk in favor of the run ration in the same way as I do.

I would inform Mr. Gray that there is a brother clergyman of his in Coleman, who acted as my chairman when I spoke in that place, and who no doubt, judging by his remarks prior to my speech, has grasped the significance of trench warfare sufficiently to broaden his mind to the usefulness and necessity of run as issued to the soldiers in the trenches.

Finally, I have seen Major Rev. John Pringle, (of Yukon fame), one of the oldest, most respected and loved chaplains of the Canadian Army in the field, take his lot of run after clipping the ice from his legs, the result of a night standing in water, mud and blood. Does Mr. Gray believe that the Reverend John Pringle will become a drunkard in the course of "five years," as he fears I shall?

You will favor me by finding space in your esteemed paper for the above.

Yours very truly

HAROLD R. PEAT.

Over 19,000 Germans have been taken prisoners by the British and Canadian troops during the past few days.

The new Russian Government has invited the Canadian Donkows to come back home. Canada contains about twenty thousand of them, and so far none of them are home-lick for Russia.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Hostett, of Red Deer, have received word from Ottawa, that their second son, Waldo, is dangerously ill from wounds at a Casualty clearing station in France.

Secure a Ticket

Dear Sir or Madam:—Her Royal Highness the late Duchess of Connaught on the occasion of her visit to the Alberta Red Cross Society in August last donated 12 pairs of socks knit by herself to be sold for the benefit of the Society.

It is felt that as her late Royal Highness was President of the Canadian Red Cross Society, that those who are interested in its activities throughout the Province would like an opportunity of possibly securing a pair of these socks. The Sub-executive of the Alberta Branch have therefore decided to arrange a raffle in which all branches and contributing Societies are invited to share. The numbers will be drawn for at the Provincial Office on Victoria Day, 24th May next, and the result made known on that date.

Books containing 50 tickets each will be on sale at the Provincial Office on and after April 10th, these books will be sold to Branches and contributing Societies at 50c a book; individual tickets to be sold by them at not less than 25c each.

All money made by the sale of tickets may be kept by the Societies to whom these books are issued, for their own work; or may if preferred, be sent as a cash donation to the general fund of the Society. It is requested, in any case that all Societies purchasing books will notify the Provincial Office as to the amount which they have realized from the sale of tickets so that a statement may be made public of the total amount raised through the sale of the socks. Each book of tickets will be numbered and a list kept of the Societies to whom they are issued, no individual tickets may be sold by any Society after May 22nd.

It is hoped through this raffle, to raise thousands of dollars for Red Cross Work in Alberta. It is the first time that One book of tickets sold means a net profit of \$12.00.

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Cowley Happenings

D. R. McIvor has purchased a new auto.

Mr. Reid is again in the district buying horses.

C. V. Hodgson returned Monday from the east.

Mrs. Lloyd, of Midnapore, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. P. J. Biddell.

George A. Buchanan, of Coldwater, Ontario, was a business visitor to Cowley on Monday.

Miss Charlotte Willoughby, of Burma, was visiting here this week, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. McEwen.

John Kemmis, M.L.A., returned from Edmonton on Monday morning, the arduous labors of the session being ended.

Miss Lawson and Mrs. J. Snyder are Calgary visitors this week. Miss Lawson will attend the teachers' convention while there.

The sheep head raffle on Friday night was won by Mrs. Breckenridge, of Vincher Creek, while Mrs. Hewitt, of North Fork, won the deer head.

The concert given under the auspices of the Women's Institute on Friday night was a decided success. A large crowd turned out in spite of so much sickness and muddy roads. Proceeds at the door amounted to \$47.75, from sale of candies donated \$20.00, and the mounted heads brought in around \$180. Every body seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest.

William Irvine, general secretary of the non-partisan league, addressed a small, but appreciative audience in the Cowley hall on Saturday afternoon, and again at Lundbreck at night. Meetings were also held during the week at Livingstone and North Fork school-houses. The aim of the league is to secure 200 adherents in the riding. This promises some excitement when the next election comes off.

C. H. Powell had quite a lively time on Saturday morning, when his horse bucked him off at Swinney's gate, locating him in a mud puddle, the horse rearing with the saddle which had become dislocated from his back and dragging by

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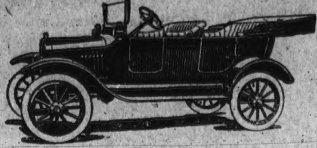
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Rose's Irish Slog Gin			4.75
Williamson's Old Tom			4.25

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E. & J. Burke's Jamaica	1.40	16.00	
Thom & Cameron's Jamaica	1.10	14.00	7.00
Thom & Cameron's Demerara	1.30	14.00	6.50
Demerara, proof strength			7.50
Demerara, 34 overproof			9.00

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Cedar Brook, eight summers old, Bourbon	1.50	16.50	7.50
E. & J. Burke's XXX Irish	1.50	16.50	
J. Callaghan & Son's, Imperial quart	1.75	20.00	6.75
Mitchell's, Bulk	1.85	21.00	7.50
Gooderham & Worts' special, Rye	1.25	15.00	5.25

Walker's Imperial; Seagram's 83; and	1.10	12.00	
H. C. Special, Rye	1.15	12.50	
Golden West, Imperial quart			4.50
Gooderham & Worts' Rye			4.50
Walker's Canadian Club, Rye			5.00
Walker's Imperial, Rye			4.25

H. C. Rye	1.75	19.50	
Mount Vernon, American Rye	1.35	15.00	
Old Kentucky, American Rye	2.00	24.00	
Johnnie Walker, Black Label, Scotch	1.85	21.00	
Johnnie Walker, Red Label	1.65	18.00	
White & Mackay's Special	1.65	18.00	
Dewar's Special	1.60	16.50	
Teacher's Highland Cream	1.75	18.50	
Buchanan's Black & White	1.75	18.50	7.50
Macdonald's Special Reserve, etc.	1.35	15.50	8.00
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NOTICE

To Clean Up

Notice is hereby given that all rear premises, stables, etc., must be cleaned up and all manure and refuse removed by April twentieth.

Offenders after the above date will be dealt with under the By-law.

By order,

SANITARY INSPECTOR.

The bachelors and old maid entertained their friends to a grand ball at the opera house Tuesday night. The affair was most enjoyable, and we learn from reliable sources, most successful for some of the old maids. Results will become known before the June fever has been suppressed.

Central Union Church

Dr. E. H. GRAY, Pastor.

Sunday, April 15th:
11 a.m., Public Service and Sermon.
Subject: "Jesus the Good Shepherd."
Scripture lesson: John 10:1-13.

2 p.m., both Sunday Schools meet in the church.

7:30 p.m., Public Service and Sermon.
Concluding the series on the Ten Commandments. Subject: "The Eighth and Tenth Commandments."

Wednesday, April 18th:
8 p.m., Prayer meeting. Topic: "The Pharisee and the Publican."
Scripture lesson: Luke 18:9-14.

9 a.m., Teacher Training Class. Material for discussion: the work outlined in Book 3, chapters 5 and 6, of the handbook.

Strangers and other visitors are cordially invited to attend the above services and meetings.

The Goat Mountain Minstrelsy appear at the Coleman opera house tonight, and will no doubt be greeted by a full house.

Local and General

The Pass has not yet reorganized its automobile association.

J. D. Russell spent Easter with friends at Calgary, and returned Tuesday morning.

A kind act: For a returned wounded veteran to offer his chair to a stalwart slacker.

The first issue of "Frankies From Frank" will appear on Tuesday morning next.

Experience teaches that people seldom hit a man when he is down. They usually jump on him.

Fernie's contribution to the Patriotic Fund for the month of March amounted to \$2,889.20.

We regret to learn of the illness of Mrs. James Paden, who is suffering from partial paralysis.

As a result of the anniversary supper held at Central Union church last week, the sum of \$78.85 was realized.

Someone told us last week end that a charge was being entered against the Goat Mountain Minstrel Troupe for "cruelty to animals."

An item in one of our exchanges reads: "A filtration plant could be cleverly tested this week." "Filtration," is what was meant, of course.

Local Mine Inspector W. Shaw was called out to Coal Creek last week end, and consequently was unable to be present at Monday's Y.M.C.A. sessions.

Mr. Estabrook, having completed his organization mission for the Military Y.M.C.A. in this part of the Pass, left for Redland Wednesday morning.

Arrangements are being made for the I.O.O.F. annual divine service, to be held in Blairmore on April 29th. Full announcement will be given next week.

The American liner New York struck a mine off Liverpool bar on Monday night, but managed to reach port under her own steam. No casualties resulted.

In order that people may not spend their money in unnecessary travelling, but rather be encouraged to invest in war loans, the C.P.R. decided not to put on the usual holiday rates for Easter.

A local florist, in order to increase his trade, displayed this sign in his window:

"We give a packet of flower seeds with every plant."

We promptly sought to meet the competition by placing in our window the following announcement:

"We give the earth with every plant."

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Single-combed white Leghorns, winter laying strain of hens, headed by pedigreed (world's best) laying strain cocks. Price \$1.25 per 13 eggs, \$3.75 per 50 eggs, and \$6.50 per 100 eggs. After a few weeks these cocks are for sale at \$3.00 each. Apply Mrs. M. A. Murphy, Cowley.

Rev. Mr. Bole, one of the secretaries for the Military Y.M.C.A., was in Coleman for the past week, arranging the campaign there for the Military Y.M.C.A. Largely attended meetings were addressed by Capt. Pearson at the Institutional church on the afternoon and night of Tuesday. Mr. Bole paid Blairmore a visit on Tuesday of this week.

The fifth body of those entombed by the mine explosion at Coal Creek was recovered on Monday morning. There are yet some thirty bodies entombed, and while the work of clearing away the debris is being rushed, it may be weeks before the bodies will all have been located. At the time of the explosion in No. 3 mine, some 200 men were at work in No. 2, and theirs were for a time entertained for their recovery; but all were not in the course of a few hours. All the victims, except three, were English speaking, and most of them leave families who reside in Coal Creek or Fernie.

Whoever has a patch of ground should make the most of it this year.

With the plebian potato becoming a luxury, and all kinds of vegetables uncommonly high there is every inducement in the world to cultivate a garden this year. There is not only thrift in the small kitchen garden, but a wholesome pastime as well, and if you have not a little patch of ground of your own, we feel sure that a plot could be easily acquired if you will but undertake to fence it.

Hundreds of citizens turned out at the depot on Tuesday morning to welcome Privates Danny Lewis and John Richard Harrison home. Private Lewis has practically lost all use of his left arm, as a result of shrapnel wound. He left for the front with the 54th Kootenay battalion, and is the first member of that battalion to return to these parts. Private Harrison is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison, of Blairmore. He did not get beyond the Old Country, where he failed to pass medical examination. Private Lewis is on twelve days' leave, after which he will go to the Ogden home at Calgary.

Public Meeting

A meeting of all persons interested in the formation of a local branch of the ST JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION is hereby called for MONDAY NIGHT, APRIL 16th, 1917, in the U.M.W. of A. HALL, BLAIRMORE, the undersigned presiding.

(Signed) W. A. BEEBE, Mayor.

Canadian Patriotic Fund

Subscriptions received for the month of March, and total amounts to date from January 1st, 1917, to the Blairmore branch:

	Jan. 1st to Mar. 31st	Mar. 31st to April 1st
Ayling, Miss V.	\$1.00	\$3.00
Adderley, H. H.	5.00	15.00
Anderson, F.	1.00	3.00
Beach, A. C.	2.00	4.00
Blairmore Flour & Feed Co.	1.00	3.00
Benson, H. G.	1.00	3.00
Burns, Harry	5.00	15.00
Burns, P. & Co.	5.00	30.00
Crane, E. L.	1.00	3.00
Crozier, W. A.	1.00	3.00
Dault, Louis	3.00	9.00
Drew, H.	1.00	2.00
Eckmire, E. L.	.00	1.50
Elliott, T. B.	1.00	2.50
Katon, L. G.	2.00	6.00
Kelchman, C. H.	1.00	2.00
Fay, H.	1.00	2.00
Gillis, J. E.	5.00	15.00
Giacomuzzi, M.	1.00	3.00
Grey, Dr. E. H.	2.00	6.00
Handley, J.	1.00	3.00
Hunter, F.	1.00	3.00
Hinds, E.	1.00	3.00
Harmer, J. B.	1.00	4.00
Hogge, E. J.	1.00	2.00
Kaboury, P. S.	1.00	5.00
Leak, Brothers	5.00	10.00
Morency, A.	1.00	2.00
Montalbert, J.	1.00	3.00
McDonald, H. A. Dr.	1.00	10.00
McLeod, A.	1.00	2.00
Novario, S. J.	.50	1.25
Ostrander, A. F.	.....	2.00
Oliver, Wm.	.....	1.00
Pearson, C. H.	2.00	6.00
Peimel, C.	1.00	3.00
Poszi, E.	.....	4.00
Putnam, F. M.	2.00	6.00
Putnam, C.	1.00	3.00
Kahal, E. F.	1.00	2.00
Shearer, A. A.	5.00	15.00
Snod, Geo.	1.00	3.00
Smallwood, R.	2.00	6.00
Smith, J. F.	.....	4.00
Sartoris, M.	1.00	3.00
Sinclair, D. A.	2.00	6.00
Trono, S.	.50	1.50
Trabacento, A.	.50	1.50
Thompson, F. M.	5.00	15.00
Thomas, R.	1.00	3.00
Waldenholme, W.	1.50	4.50
Wright, F.	.....	2.50
Young, W. T.	1.00	4.00
Zatti, O.	1.00	3.00
W.C.C.Ld., Office	20.45	60.75
W.C.C.Ld., Mines	127.20	348.45
McLaren Lumber Co.	119.00	128.50

Total to date \$813.70

On hand Jan. 1st 63.15

Subscriptions: 813.70

Dances, Jan. 30 90.00

Sundries 179.25

Total \$1,446.10

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Frank Happenings

Days Moir went to Lethbridge Friday evening, on a visit to friends.

Robert Rowe, former R.N.W.P. officer here, is renewing acquaintances for a few days.

Mesdames Hilton and Gibson were guests of Mrs. Taylor at Hill crest on Sunday last.

Miss B. McKinnon, of Michel, is spending a few days with her brother, A. J. McKinnon, here.

Mr. Lindo, of Bellevue, has accepted the position of mine engineer, left vacant by P. M. Sherwin.

We are anxiously looking forward to the after effects of the Minstrel concert, being held at Coleman tonight.

John Brown, local mine manager, left for Calgary on Thursday night, on business in connection with the new agreement.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Niven, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacDonald, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. C. MacDonald at Bellevue.

P. M. Sherwin expects to leave Sunday evening for Virginia, where he has accepted a position as chief engineer with the Maryland Coal Co.

A grand dance was pulled off in the old Frank Wine Co's hall on Monday night, proceeds of which were given to Red Cross and Patriotic funds.

Rev. W. T. Young was in Coleman on Tuesday, making final arrangements for the show to be put on there tonight by the Goat Mountain Minstrel Troupe.

Charlie Chaplin will be seen in the "Floorwalker" at the Lyric theatre, Bellevue, on Wednesday, April 18th, and Blairmore Opera House Thursday, April 19th.

Mrs. Gordon, of Lethbridge, accompanied by Miss Sadie and Marjorie Niven, arrived Saturday morning to spend a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Niven.

Little boy on the street: "Jimmy, what is a spatter?"

Jimmy, after a moment: "A fall-grown eur, without principle."

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Calgary, Alta., Friday, April 13th, 1917

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COUNTER CHECK BOOKS

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

Miss A. Patton is down from Cranbrook, on a visit to friends.

D. A. Sinclair reports the sale of eleven Ford touring cars in seven days.

Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Green left last week end for a brief visit to Montreal.

Capt. Pearson was at one time connected with a Peterboro newspaper as a printer.

William Jennings Bryan wants to experience what it feels like to be in a private's uniform.

Miss Masters, after spending the Easter holidays with Miss B. Pinkney, returned to Calgary on Tuesday.

Charlie Chaplin will be seen in the "Floorwalker" at the Blairmore opera house on Thursday, April 19th.

Frank Demontev has purchased Frank Bosley's ranch near Lillie, and will cultivate tobacco and banana plantations.

From a patriotic sale of live stock held at High River last week, the sum of \$1,627.58 was realized for patriotic purposes.

As a result of the Military Y.M.C.A. campaign, the sum of \$1,084 was realized at High River last week, following the address of Capt. Pearson.

Canadian-made lead pencils are being sold in New Zealand. The manufacture of pencils was only undertaken in Canada since the war started.

An amendment to the statute law, introduced in the Alberta house at the recent session, provides that the owner of a vehicle is not liable for damage done by his car if it is not driven by him or with his consent.

Rocky Mountain constituency was asked to raise \$20,000 this year for the Patriotic Fund. At the rate of contribution for the month of March, the towns of Coleman, Blairmore, Bellevue and Frank can raise \$27,000 in the above time.

We learn that we were in error last week in reporting that a citizen of Bellevue paid a fine of \$100 for a breach of the booze act. The party referred to, whose name we decided to keep down, paid \$100 for attempting to beat a Chinaman out of a \$7.50 board bill.

An explosion in the plant of the Eddystone Ammunition Corporation's plant at Eddystone, Pa., is reported to have killed over one hundred and fifty persons, and injured about three hundred more. The workers were mostly women and girls.

A Kansas printer has notified the merchants of his town that he will soon be in need of a pair of shoes, a new shirt, and a sack of flour, and that he will call for bids on these items, as that is the custom when they want four dollars' worth of printing.

At the instigation of the provincial police, several proprietors of soft drinks parlors appeared before the court on Wednesday, charged with having had in their possession for trade beer registering over 2 per cent. of alcohol. Mr. Herchmer, of Herchmer & Martin, Fernie, appeared to represent the brewery people, while J. E. Gillis and J. C. Hendry appeared for the accused parties. A plea of guilty was entered in all cases, and as it appeared that the accused were innocent of the fact that the beer contained the overproof, the minimum fine of \$50 and costs was imposed in each case.

Farmers are worrying over the prospects of a late spring.

The gladdest words of tongue or pen—"Eggs are going down again."

A gang of men are at work dismantling the mines at Beaver Mines.

The Ross rifle factory has been taken over by the Dominion government.

Comfortable furnished house to rent, in Blairmore.—Apply: Phone 8.

J. Kearney, of Winnipeg, spent Saturday last in town, visiting old friends.

M. A. Murphy, D.D.G.M., visited the local Masonic Lodge on Friday night last.

Farmers have decided that \$50 per month shall be the maximum wages for laborers.

Robert Patterson, M.L.A., has been re-nominated by the Conservatives of Macleod.

Misses V. Keith and A. Fulton attended the teachers' convention at Calgary this week.

K. G. Hutchinson, of Pincher Creek, was reported as wounded in the casualty lists last week.

W. P. Williams, of Bellevue, has been appointed a member of the board of examiners under the mines act.

Fifty-six returned soldiers, under the direction of the War Veterans' association, of Manitoba, will form a colony of their own at Whitemouth.

Charlie Chaplin will be seen in the "Floorwalker" at the Blairmore opera house on Thursday, April 19th.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. F. M. Pinkney on Monday afternoon, in honor of Miss Masters, of Calgary.

A grand banquet was tendered the returned soldiers at the Cosmopolitan hotel last night, under the auspices of the citizens of Blairmore. About fifty men were present and a very interesting programme was given under the charge of J. E. Gillis, chairman. Considerable vocal and instrumental talent lent to the pleasure of the evening.

Capt. Norman S. Rankin of the disbanded 191st Battalion, has relinquished his commission to join the Canadian engineers as a supervisor. Capt. Rankin left a very lucrative position as publicity commissioner of the C.P.R. Natural resources department to enlist and is determined to get to the front and do his bit.

The anniversary functions at Central Union church on Thursday of last week were well attended and resulted in the realization of over \$600 to go towards the cost of renovation of the interior of the edifice. Hot supper was served by the ladies from 5:30 to 8 p.m., followed by a programme of speeches and music, the chair being occupied by Dr. E. H. Gray. Addresses were delivered by Rev. D. K. Allan, bishop of the Institutional church, Coleman; Rev. W. T. Young, of Frank Methodist church, H. G. Estabrook, secretary for the Military Service Department of the Y.M.C.A., and others, while vocal selections were rendered by Messrs. W. Shaw, H. Drew, J. R. Smith and the choir. Appropriate readings were given by Miss Hind, of Frank. During the whole evening's program not a crack resulted in the plaster on the ceiling. Many complimentary references were made on the bright and attractive appearance of the church's interior.

The Presbyterians who are in opposition to church union are seeking the incorporation of an association for the publication of a paper. The capital stock of the association will be \$100,000, and the headquarters will be at the city of Toronto.

Calgary claims to be the first city in Alberta to have a woman sworn in with full police authority. Mrs. Mary Irving Matheson was sworn in Monday and can now use the authority that is granted to an ordinary policeman. Mrs. Matheson was left a widow several years ago when her husband, the late Alex. Matheson, at one time an engineer on the C.P.R., succumbed to a serious illness.

The average man can easily afford a Ford car. It is the most inexpensive car to drive. 20 to 25 miles on a gallon of gasoline in an every-day occurrence. 35 miles is frequently reported by Ford owners. Yearly repair expenses of less than one dollar are not unusual. The car is light in weight, and tires give more miles on a Ford than on any other car.—Ad.

FOR SALE—Quarter section good land, adjoining Maple Leaf township on south side and Bellevue township on west side, well timbered and abundantly watered. Mostly cultivable, or suitable for stock. Pasture adjoining. Will sell 40 or 80 acres or more. Prices on application to Box "E," Blairmore Enterprise.

The returned soldiers will be guests at a dance to be held at the Cosmopolitan hotel tonight.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Irrigation Act, the McLAREN LUMBER COMPANY have filed the necessary memorial and plans required by Sections 13 and 15 of the said Act, with the Commissioner of Irrigation, at Calgary, Alberta.

The applicant Company applies for the right to divert sufficient cubic feet of water per second from the East Branch of ALLISON CREEK at a point on the Northwest quarter of Section 34, Township 8, Range 5, West of the 6th Meridian, for "other" purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed, to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said "other" purposes.

Right of way is also required over the following lands, viz.—the northeast and southeast quarters of Section 15, the northeast quarter of Section 10, northwest and southwest quarters of Section 11, and the northwest quarter of Section 2, all in township 8, range 5, west of the 6th meridian.

DATED at Blairmore, Alberta, this 30th day of March, 1917.

McLAREN LUMBER COMPANY,

Per HARRY BURNS, MANAGER,

Applicant.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF ZACHARIAH VARE, late of the Hamlet of Passburg, in the Province of Alberta, retired, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Zachariah Vare, who died on or about the 11th day of January, A.D. 1917, are required to send to the undersigned executor and executrix of his estate, addressed to the office of J. E. Gillis, their solicitor, at Blairmore, in the said Province of Alberta, on or before the 15th May, 1917, a full statement duly verified of their claims and any securities held by them; and that after that date the executor and executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased, among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed or brought to their knowledge.

DATED this Twenty-seventh day of March, 1917.

ANTHONY WARDMAN AND

ADA BOSELY,

Executor and Executrix.

Office of J. E. GILLIS,

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Frank, Alta.

R. E. Cooper, of Toronto, is in town this week. The British are destroying submarines at the rate of one a day.

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THIS SHOULD BE CANADA'S GREATEST YEAR OF NATIONAL SERVICE

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The Alberta Department of Agriculture is at your service in this work. If you want information or assistance, write to the DEPARTMENT, or write to the nearest School of Agriculture or Demonstration Farm and your request will have immediate attention.

TEST ALL THE SEEDS YOU SOW

We will do this for you if you send in a list of the seed

FARM HELP. If you require any of the following:—

Agent of Department of Agriculture, 1000 Bank Building, Lethbridge.

Agent of Department of Agriculture, 1000 Bank Building, Calgary.

Agent of Department of Agriculture, 1000 Bank Building, Edmonton.

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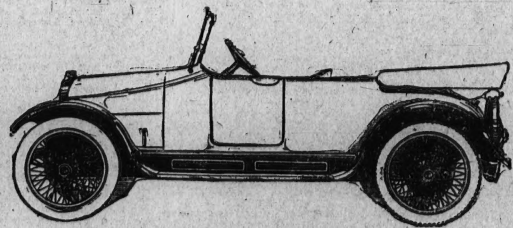
We shall be pleased to give assistance through the officials of the Department.

HON. DUNCAN MARSHALL,

Minister of Agriculture.

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